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VIA EMAIL

January 29, 2019

Mackenzie Farkus
Via Muckrock.com
Sent Via Email: 67924-53632044@requests.muckrock.com

RE: NOTICE OF RESPONSE TO FOIA REQUEST
FOIA FILE NO.: P470022

Dear Mackenzie Farkus:

On behalf of the Chicago Police Department (CPD) this letter is in response to your Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA") request received by our office on January 23, 2019. CPD is now responding to your request seeking:

Pursuant to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, I hereby request the following records: All files on or related to the Jane Collective (also known as "Jane" and the Abortion Counseling Service of Women's Liberation), the Chicago underground abortion group that was active from 1969-1973.

Your request was reviewed by the undersigned. An electronic search based on the information in your request using the Citizen Law Enforcement Analysis and Reporting System (CLEAR) and CPD's Data Warehouse yielded negative results for public records. Please be advised that CPD has no responsive records for your request.

Your request does not identify a category of public records (e.g., Arrest Reports, Homicide Investigations), individual names, or incident dates/descriptions to conduct any other types of searches. Identifying and reading the many thousands of public records from the listed time period to determine whether that record is related to the Jane Collective is burdensome pursuant 5 ILCS 140/3(g).

You have the right to a review under 5 ILCS 140-9.5(a) by the Public Access Counselor (PAC) at the Office of the Illinois Attorney General, 500 South 2nd Street, Springfield, Illinois 62706, Phone: (877) 299-3642, Fax: 217-782-1396, E-mail: publicaccess@atg.state.il.us. A Request for Review must be filed within 60 calendar days of the date of a denial letter, and include a copy of the original FOIA request and the denial letter. You may also seek judicial review of a denial under 5 ILCS 140/11 by filing a lawsuit in the State Circuit Court.

Please contact me at 312-745-5308 if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

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